**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services - M.A. & U.D. Department - ACB Surprise Check - Allegations of corrupt practices by allowing irregularities of deviations in building plans, without imposing open space charges and debris charges, unauthorized constructions, encroachments etc., in Markapur Municipality against Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C), Markapur Municipality - Initiation of disciplinary Proceedings under Rule-20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 - Articles of charges - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 803 Dated: 18-08-2025

**Read the following:-**

1. From the Director General, A.C.B., Vijayawada, Lr.Rc.No.35/DES- NPK/2022, Dated.30.12.2024.
2. G.O.Rt.No.377, MA&UD(Vig.III) Dept., dt:30.04.2025
3. Govt.Memo.No.2691579/Vig.III/2025, Dated.30.04.2025
4. From the Director General, A.C.B., Vijayawada, Lr.Rc.No.35/DES-NPK/2022, Dated.21.07.2025.

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**ORDER:**

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C), Markapur Municipality in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The statement of articles of charges and statement of imputations of misconduct and mis-behaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed Annexures I&II. A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges proposed to be sustained are also enclosed in Annexures - III & IV.

3. Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C), Markapur Municipality is directed to submit his written statement of defense within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C), Markapur Municipality is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of Charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each Article of charge.

5. Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C), Markapur Municipality is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para (3) above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C) Markapur Municipality is invited to Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his/her interest in respect of matters pertaining to his/her service under the Government. If any representation is received on his/her behalf from another person

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in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that above Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C), Markapur Municipality is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against her for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of the G.O., may be acknowledged.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**S. SURESH KUMAR**
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri Punugupati Venkateswarlu, the then TPBO & TPO (I/C), Markapur Municipality **through** the DTCP, AP. Mangalagiri
The Director of Town and Country Planning, AP, Mangalagiri.

**Copy to:**

The Commissioner and Director of Municipal Administration. AP, Vaddeswaram
The DG, ACB, Vijayawada.
The RDMA, Guntur.
The Commissioner, Marakapur Municipality
St/Sc (E 2691579)

**// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //**

**SECTION OFFICER**